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Attorney Docket No. 7939A-000029 First Inventor Ross Bradsen et al Method Of Attaching An Accessory Such As A Running Board To A Vehicle

Express Mail Label No. EL 741 125 619 US (Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b)) Mail Stop Patent Application **APPLICATION ELEMENTS** Commissioner for Patents ADDRESS TO: P.O. Box 1450 See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents. Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 1. Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17) CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or (Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing) Computer Program (Appendix) 2. Applicant claims small entity status. 8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission See 37 CFR 1.27. (if applicable, all necessary) з. 🛛 Specification [Total Pages a. Computer Readable Form (CRF) Specification Sequence Listing on: (preferred arrangement set forth below) Descriptive title of the Invention i. CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or Specification Cross References to Related Applications filed in English ii. 🗌 paper - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D c. Statements verifying identity of above copies Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix **ACCOMPANYING APPLICATIONS PARTS** - Background of the Invention - Brief Summary of the Invention 9. 🗌 Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s)) - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed) 10. 37 C.F.R.§3.73(b) Statement Power of Detailed Description Attorney (when there is an assignee) - Claim(s) - Abstract of the Disclosure 11. 🔲 English Translation Document (if applicable) 4. 🛛 12. Information Disclosure Copies of IDS Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C.113) [Total Sheets 7 Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations 5. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages 13. 🔲 Preliminary Amendment Newly executed (original or copy) 14, 🛛 Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) b. Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d)) (Should be specifically itemized) (for a continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed) 15. 🔲 Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) i. DELETION OF INVENTOR(S) (if foreign priority is claimed) Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) 16. 🔲 Request and Non Publication under 35 U.S.C. 122 named in the prior application, see 37 CFR (b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b). or its equivalent. 6. Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76 17. Other: 18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76: ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No: Prior application information: Examiner Group / Art Unit: For CONTINUATION or DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts. 17. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS Correspondence address below □ Customer Number or Bar Code Label (Insert Customer No. or Attach bar code label here) Harness, Dickey & Pierce, P.L.C. Name P.O. Box 828 Address City Bloomfield Hills 48303 MI State Zip Code United States of America 248-641-1600 Fax 248-641-0270 Country Telephone H. Keith Miller/Esa Name (Print/Type) Registration No. (Attorney/Agent) 22,484 Signature Date June 20, 2003

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